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- 4. The retraining course lasts two months. It begins with basic infantry exercises. Long practice marches are combined with target practice. There is severe combat training and continuous political schooling. In these circumstances it is scarcely surprising that the morale of the reservists is very poor. Several fundred reserves of the 1926, 1927 and 1928 classes were given refresher training here in 1953.
- 5. The companies are organized and armed like regular army rifle companies. In each company there are 9 light machine guns, 70 infantry rifles, 12 machine pistols. The heavy weapons company has two 76.2 mm field guns, two antitank guns, four 50 mm mortars, two 82 mm mortars, three heavy machine guns, several antitank rockets.

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